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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The following amendments and corresponding remarks are being submitted pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.112 in response to the Office Action of August 30, 2005. The period for response to which is set to expire on January 30, 2006..

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on the attached page having the heading "Amendments to the Claims".

Remarks begin on the attached page having the heading "Remarks".